

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

IN THE TITLE OF THE INVENTION:

Please replace the title of the application as follows:

--METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ERROR CORRECTION USING A PLURALITY  
OF ERROR CORRECTION CODES—

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph [0005] with the following amended paragraph:

[0005] Next, an operation will be described. At the error detection code coding circuit 34, a 16-bit error detection code (CRC) is added to data (38 in FIG. 20). At the fixed bit insertion circuit 35, a 5-bit "0" fixed data as a tail bit of a convolutional code is added to the data generated by the error detection code coding circuit 34, and the CRC check bit. After the check bit, (39 in FIG. 29 20). At the convolutional coding circuit 36, convolutional coding of a rate 1/2 is carried out at a constraint length 6 (40 in FIG. 20). At the interleave generation circuit 37, a convolutional coded sequence is dispersed timewise (41 in FIG. 2 20) to increase resistance to a burst error.